

The Legislature intends that the Department of Health use the ongoing funding provided in item 59 of H.B. 7 *Social Services Base Budget*, from the 2020 General Session for the Department of Health, the Utah Oral Health Coalition, and other oral health stakeholders, to advance recommendations to reduce Utahns' emergency department use for non-traumatic dental visits and develop a statewide plan to improve dental access and support oral health outcomes. The plan shall be developed by the Utah Oral Health Coalition, in partnership with programs within the Department of Health that focus on oral health and shall address oral health inequities and dental access disparities. Representatives from the Utah Oral Health Coalition. The Department of Health shall present their recommendations and priorities to the Health and Human Services Interim Committee and Social Services Appropriations Committee by October 1, 2020.